Amendment to the Claims

Please add the following new claims:

Claim 23. A nucleic acid molecule encoding a mammalian signal peptide operatively linked to a nucleic acid encoding a protein that would normally not be secreted from a mammalian cell, said signal peptide allowing at least some of said protein to be synthesized on the endoplasmic reticulum in a manner so that said protein can be secreted, wherein said nucleic acid molecule comprises a 3' untranslated region from a nucleic acid encoding a secreted protein substituted for the native 3' untranslated region of said protein normally not secreted, such that said substituted region's effect in directing molecules to an intracellular location other than the endoplasmic reticulum or to free and/or cytoskeletal bound polysomes is eliminated or reduced relative to that obtained with the native 3' untranslated region.

Claim 24. A vector comprising a signal sequence operatively linked to a nucleotide sequence coding for a mammalian protein operatively linked to a 3' UTR, wherein said signal sequence and said 3' UTR are from an mRNA for a secreted protein which is different to the mammalian protein coded for by said nucleotide sequence.

Claim 25. The vector of claim 24, wherein the signal sequence and the 3' UTR are from the same protein.

Claim 26. The vector of claim 24 or 25, wherein the mammalian protein coded

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for by said nucleotide sequence is not normally secreted.